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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: F.D. Griss Attorney Docket No.: GRISF122500
Application No.: 10/828,943 Group Art Unit: 3643
Filed: April 21, 2004 Examiner: D.J. Parsley
Title: BAIT HOLDER FOR A FISHING LURE

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS/
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

October 25, 2005

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Appeal/Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated June 8, 2005, of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1-7 and 9-12. The enclosed check includes the appeal fee of \$250. Also enclosed is the Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review.

B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated June 8, 2005, set to expire on September 8, 2005, be extended by 2 months, to expire on November 8, 2005. The enclosed check includes the 2-month extension fee of \$225.

C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 166875 in the amount of \$475 to cover the required fees for the Notice of Appeal and Request for Extension of Time.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this notice is enclosed.

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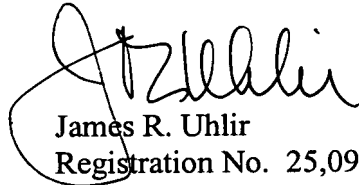
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